

KentuckyHistoricalSociety

Scholarly Research Fellowship Application Form

Name:

Address:

Daytime Phone:

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For Scholars/ Students Only:

Name of University:

Field:

Classification (Sr, MA, ABD, etc.):

Fellowship applications are due **at KHS** by **Mar. 15, 2012**, with grantees to be notified by **Apr. 30**. Grantees will be required to provide their Social Security numbers for tax purposes. Because of state regulations, Kentucky state employees are not eligible for these fellowships. (Kentucky public school teachers and state university employees are eligible, however.) Fellowship recipients from the previous year are not eligible for fellowships in the same category.

Applications should be mailed to Elizabeth J. Van Allen, Kentucky Historical Society, 100 West Broadway, Frankfort, KY 40601-1931. If you have any questions, please contact her at beth.vanallen@ky.gov or 502-564-1792, ext. 4440.

Applicants must submit a curriculum vitae or resume and prospectus. Your prospectus should describe your current project and its significance, emphasizing how it would benefit from research at KHS. Include a project overview, theoretical perspectives, sources, methods, work completed to date, necessity of KHS collections research, significance, bibliography.

In this description make sure to cover the following points:

- What is the end product of your project?
- What KHS collections or resources will aid you?
- How will these resources contribute to your project?
- What assets necessary to your project are not at KHS?
- How much time do you intend to spend at KHS?
- What is the estimated timetable for your project?

Graduate and undergraduate students must include two letters of recommendation from faculty members familiar with the student's work and with the project being proposed. Independent scholars who do not have a curriculum vitae should provide a statement about their experience with historical research and publishing. To orient themselves to KHS collections, applicants are strongly encouraged to contact Louise Jones, director of Special Collections and Library, at louise.jones@ky.gov or 502-564-1792, ext. 4407, well in advance.



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